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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under is: a patent application a Continuation a Divisional a Continuation-in-Part (CIP) Claiming priority from U.S. Provisional application no. 60/414,141; Filed September 27, 2002. Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27(c) Inventors or Application Identifier: Ryszard Kole, Chapel Hill, North Carolina Entitled: Methods and Compositions for Modification of Splicing of Pre-MRNA Enclosed are: 1. Application Transmittal Letter and Fee Transmittal Form (A duplicate is enclosed for fee processing) 2. \( \overline{\square} \) 40 pages of Specification (including 7 claims) 3. \( \sum\_{5} \) sheets of Drawings (35 USC 113) Oath or Declaration newly executed (original or copy) copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d) (for continuation/divisional) [Note Box 5 Below]

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